

## FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: March 18, 1996

SUBJECT: **SB 3116 - HB 3090**

This bill, if enacted, will create the offense of aggravated child neglect which will include the same factors as aggravated child abuse. Aggravated child neglect will be a Class A felony if the child is six years old or less and a Class B felony if the child is over six years old.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in state expenditures of \$97,900 for incarceration\*. The details of the inmate population growth and costs are shown below:

Year 1	1 Inmate	\$16,300
Year 2	2 Inmates	\$32,600
Year 3	3 Inmates	\$49,000
Year 4	4 Inmates	\$65,300
Year 5	5 Inmates	\$81,600
Year 6	6 Inmates	\$97,900

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

*\*Section 9-6-119, TCA, requires that: For any law enacted after July 1, 1986, which results in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state facilities, there shall be appropriated from recurring revenues the estimated operating cost of such law.*